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## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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STATE OF MONTANA

	No. DA 09-0638	FILED
STATE OF MONTANA,  Plaintiff and Appellee,	)	APR 1 4 2010  Ed Smith  LENK OF THE SUPREME GOURF  STATE OF MONTANA
v.	)	ORDER
JOHN RICHARDS,	)	
Defendant and Appellant.	)	

The State of Montana has moved to dismiss this appeal on grounds that the notice of appeal was not timely filed. John Richards has requested 60 additional days to respond to the motion to dismiss.

IT IS ORDERED that John Richards is granted an extension of time until June 6, 2010, in which to prepare, file, and serve his response to the motion to dismiss this appeal.

The Clerk is directed to provide copies of this Order to John Richards personally and all counsel of record.

DATED this day of April, 2010.

For the Court,

Chief Justice